Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER J-3047A1 Art Unit Application No. Filing Date Examiner 10/645,933-Conf. #8261 August 21, 2003 Bryon P. Gehman 3728 Applicants: Kristopher W. Gerulski et al. WOUND FILM DISPENSER WITH EXTERIOR RETAINER AND METHOD FOR Invention: MANUFACTURING SAME TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Remaining Number Number Previously **Extra Claims** After Amendment Paid Present Rate **Total Claims** 20 7 Х Independent 1 3 χ . **Claims** Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 0.00 Small Entity x Large Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. to cover the filing fee is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. 13-2855 × The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: April 14, 2005 Thomas A. Mille Attorney Keg. No.: 40,091 MARSHALL, GERSTEIN & BORUN LLP 233 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 6300 Sears Tower Chicago, Illinois 60606-6357 (312) 474-6300

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 7, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.